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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Help
A home
Enterprise by
Subscribing now
For FLETCHER'S FARMING:
Only 50c more to Anvil Herald
subscribers.

Farm and Road Wagons in stock
Eugene Huebner's.

For tombstones of any sizes or
ages, see Emil Britsch.

FOR SALE—The Leader Millinery
Co. Price reasonable. tf.

"An ounce of prevention is worth
pound of cure". Clean up.

FOR SALE—Oat sacks. Apply
M. Dayhoff. Phone 84. tf.

Mr. Householder, are you heeding
health officer's call to clean up.

Elento tooth paste keeps your
teeth and gums healthy. Fly Drug
Co. tf.

Buy your Oat Sacks from R. M.
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Phone 84. tf.

For Sale, 160-acre farm near town
a bargain. Apply at The Anvil
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the new Policy Esser & Schuehle
selling at Hondo, Texas. 25tf.

Protect your garments, blankets,
etc., with Lemco Moth and Dust
Balls, five for 50 cents. Fly
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E. R. Gaines was in San Antonio
Friday and Wednesday brought out
a Chevrolet truck for F. A.
Gaines of Tarpley.

FOR SALE—Mammoth Bronze
Turkey eggs, \$3.00 per setting of
five eggs. Mrs. T. W. Lanford,
Hanis, Texas. tf.

Letter heads, note heads, state-
ments, envelopes, hand bills—in fact,
any kind of commercial printing—
done promptly and done at the
Anvil Herald office. Give us your
order. tf.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Batot came
from the A. & M. College and
at last week-end with homefolks
Hondo. Mr. Batot left on Sunday
evening's train on his return trip
to the college. Mrs. Batot stayed
to attend the commencement
exercises of the Hondo High School,
her brother being a member of the
graduating class.

Fred Burgin, the famous jumper,
was here Monday, the guest of his
uncle, County Superintendent W. N.
Saathoff. Fred has made a great
reputation as a jumper and will leave
late in the summer for Paris, France,
where he will be one of America's
representatives in the Olympic games.
He has received some flattering offers
from athletic associations, but will
not accept any of them until his
school days are over and he has his
degree. He returned to Southwest-
ern University at Georgetown, on
Monday evening's train.

Carter & Bader, Ford dealers,
have made the following deliveries
since our last report. Miss Graff and
Phil Jagge, Hondo, touring cars; Ben
Graff, Hondo, coupe; Nic Fohn,
D'Hanis, touring car; Jacob Rothe,
D'Hanis, truck; John Bohlen, Dunlay,
touring; Julius Grell, Quihi, coupe;
O. J. Wurzbach, Cliff, coupe; Over-
ton Schmidt and Robert Haegelin,
Hondo, trucks; Bader & Stone, Del
Rio, truck.

Construction has begun on a new
6-room, besides bathroom, home for
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ney. It will be
located on lots owned by them in the
southeast part of town, and will be
quite an addition to the pretty homes
in that section of town.

H. E. Haass, Attorney-at-Law,
Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hon-
do, Texas. All legal matters care-
fully attended to, in all courts of
Texas. Manager Medina County Ab-
stract Company. Road Maps of Me-
dina County, cloth, \$5, paper, \$3. 15

Wanted, To do your hauling any-
where. Long hauls a specialty. R.
M. Dayhoff, Phone 84. tf.

MEN'S SUMMER SUITS, Lein-
weber's

SIMMON'S BEDS at Leinweber's.
Are you observing clean-up week?
Loyalty to a home enterprise
Should prompt you
To be a reader
of FARMING!
Subscribe
Now.

This is clean-up week!
Screen out the mosquitoes.
TAKE IT TO JENNINGS.
CONGOLEUM RUGS at Lein-
weber's.

MEN'S STRAW HATS, Lein-
weber's.

Screen out the flies and mos-
quitoes!

Get it at Windrow's Drug Store.
Telephone 124. tf.

VACUUM ICE-CREAM FREEZ-
ERS at Leinweber's.

FOR SALE—The Leader Millinery
Store. Price reasonable. tf.

Brighten up with Sherwin-Williams
Paints and Varnishes. Fly Drug
Co. tf.

PLEATING, BUTTONS, BUTTON
holes, any size, Hemstitching and
Picotting. Jennings, local represen-
tative, Mrs. H. B. Houston. tf.

Sergeant and Mrs. George Kellums
and children were out from Kelly
Field last week-end, the guests of
Mrs. Kellums' parents, Mr. and Mrs.
C. R. Gaines. The Kellums will
probably be transferred to a Cali-
fornia fort soon, very much to the
regret of relatives and friends in
Hondo.

Are we to have a grasshopper
plague? Everyone from the country
report great numbers of these pests,
although we have heard no one com-
plaining of their presence in the
town. Counties to the north are
over run with hoppers, and measures
for their destruction are being re-
sorted to in many localities.

Base Ball
QUIHI DIAMOND
Sunday, May 18th
RICHBOOK VETERANS
VS.
QUIHI
Good Game Assured.

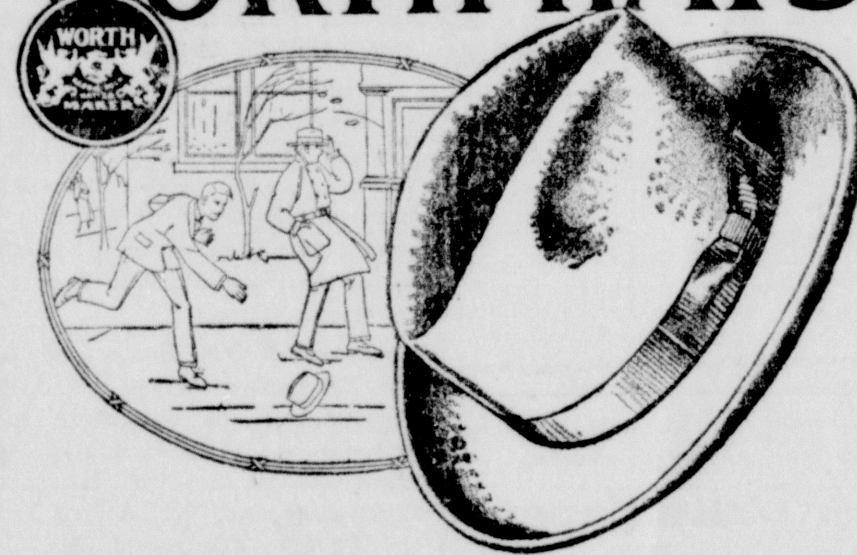
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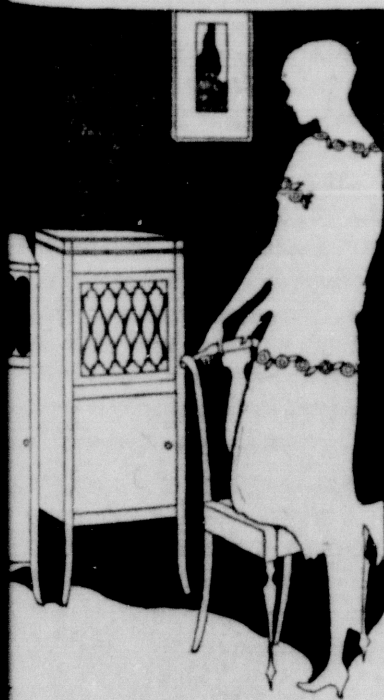
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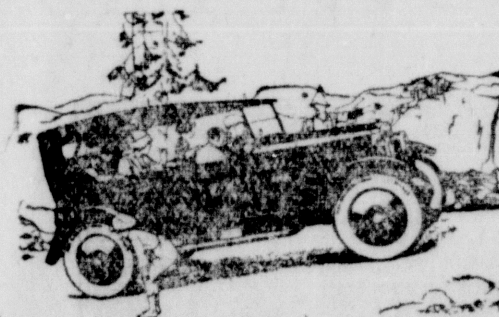
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The new Overland Blue Bird! Longer wheelbase, larger body. Big engine, wonderful power! Genuine Fisk balloon tires with artillery wheels. Steel disc wheels at \$25 extra. Come in, see this wonderful car—and enjoy a ride.

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Overland BLUE BIRD
\$725
with artillery wheels
disc wheels \$25
extra. F. A. & T. Toledo

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AGENT FOR MEDINA COUNTY, HONDO, TEXAS

See O. H. Miller for Life, Accident and Health Insurance

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At Pete Koch, Jr., Hall, D'hanis
Saturday Night, May 17, 1924.

Music furnished by Theo. Artzt's Orchestra of San Antonio.
Good Order, Good Music and a Good Time is assured.
EVERYBODY IS CORDIALLY INVITED.
E KOCH, JR., Mgr.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT.

The April term of the commissioners' court convened at the court house April 14th, and the following business was transacted:

A committee of citizens presented a petition to the court to set aside two miles of the Hondo-Yancey road in the Ney precinct, one mile of the Hondo-Devine road in the Ney precinct near Fullmore's, and Hondo-Yancey road from Hondo to Live Oak Slough was heard and granted.

Final report of the tax collector was examined, approved and signed by the court, and assignments of taxes made as follows:

Total taxes 1923, \$106,565.24	
General Fund	\$22,992.92
Assessor's commissions	1,432.03
440 polls at 25c	735.00
Treasurer's commission	1,200.00
Rock Fund	5,733.23
Special bridge	3,440.00
Road Fund	13,759.76
General bond sinking	57,332.30

Valuation by precincts:

prec. No. 1	\$3,216,256.
prec. No. 2	3,606,227.
prec. No. 3	2,783,151.
prec. No. 4	2,388,855.

Total Valuation \$11,994,489.

Each commissioner by precincts:

Road Fund.	
prec. No. 1	\$3,689.62
prec. No. 2	4,136.98
prec. No. 3	3,192.74
prec. No. 4	2,740.42

Bridge Fund.

prec. No. 1	\$341.57
prec. No. 2	495.91
prec. No. 3	189.05
prec. No. 4	80.62

Transferred from special road

to regular road fund, \$7,200.

Automobile taxes for 1924, to be divided equally among the four precincts.

Ordered that county treasurer pay due interest on Medina County bridge bonds, and transfer balance special bridge fund.

Transferred \$2,400 out of the tick fund to credit of Prec. No. 3.

May interest on \$40,000 tick warrants.

Transferred \$10,150 heretofore bonded sinking fund to the general bond fund.

Ordered that \$3,000 be transferred from the bond fund to the highway fund.

Ordered that \$1,000 from Prec. No. 4 road to the bond fund, on account of said fund by Precinct No. 4.

May Term.

The regular May term of the commissioners' court convened at the court house, Monday, May 12, all members being present, and remained in session two days.

The question of retaining a county clerk, C. M. Merritt, the present clerk, having resigned to accept a position elsewhere, it was ordered that the court that the contract now existing between Medina County and Agricultural College be continued in full force and effect. The new clerk selected for Medina County receive a salary of \$1000 from Medina County, the balance of his salary to be paid by the State and local governments.

It was ordered that \$500 now in permanent school fund uninvested be invested in Road Bond No. 78, District No. 2, Medina County.

It was ordered that the \$500 Liberty bond now held by bridge fund of Medina County be sold and proceeds used in paying off Bridge warrant No. 6,787, 4th series.

It was ordered that the loose arch of the court house be repaired.

It was ordered that a light be installed in the clerk's vault.

It was ordered that the jailor have a new pit dug for jailor's closet, and the same be repaired.

The jailor was authorized to buy a small cot and mattress to replace the mattress of his placed in the misdemeanor cell.

Numerous bills were approved.

FOR SALE.

One 1922 model Ford touring, rubber, new top, new paint, battery. Guaranteed in first condition.

Paul Weyand Garage.

BOEHLE-HEYEN WEDDING.

The wedding bells rang at Quihi last Wednesday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, the occasion being the very pretty church wedding of Mr. Alfred C. Boehle of the Quihi community and Miss Edna Louise Heyen of Hondo. The church was handsomely decorated with flowers for the occasion and quite a number of intimate relatives and friends of the bridal pair were present to witness the beautiful and solemn marriage rite. Promptly at 4:00 o'clock the bridal party and Rev. Hasskari, the pastor of the church, entered the church at the front doorway and marched to the altar, where chairs were arranged for the bride and groom, as well as for the bridesmaid, Miss Amanda Grell, and the groomsmen, Mr. Frank Boehle, a brother of the groom. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Hasskari. After a brief address by the pastor the bridal couple stepped forward and after pledging each other their sacred love and troth for life and exchanging rings the two were solemnly united in marriage. An impromptu reception was held in the church immediately after the ceremony and congratulations and wishes for a bright and happy future were showered upon the happy couple. From the church the bridal party and near relatives went to the home of the bride where an excellent wedding dinner and social entertainments were enjoyed by all. The young couple will go to housekeeping at once and make their home on a farm on the road between Quihi and Dunlay. The bride is the charming and accomplished daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Heyen of Hondo and enjoys the esteem and love of all who know her. Mr. Boehle, the groom, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Luebbe Boehle of Quihi. He was born and reared in the Quihi community and is a young man of sterling worth and energy, enjoying the respect of everyone and is well qualified to make and care for a happy home.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

The State of Texas, County of Medina.

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Elizabeth Tampke, deceased:

The undersigned having been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Tampke, deceased, late of Medina County, Texas, by Hon. R. J. Noonan, County Judge of Medina County, Texas, on the 7th day of May, A. D. 1924, during a regular term of the County Court for said County, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to him at his residence at Hondo, Medina County, Texas, where he receives his mail.

This 7th day of May, A. D. 1924.

W. F. TAMPKE,

Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Tampke, deceased.

MOTHERS' DAY SERVICES.

Mothers' Day was observed Sunday by a special service at the Methodist church. The altar was beautifully decorated with flowers and potted plants. Some special music was rendered by the choir. And the pastor, Rev. A. M. Foster, told in a very plain instructive way the beautiful story of Ruth, incidentally pointing out the reasons for so much modern day folly and immorality, and stressed the great need for the restraining and uplifting influence of a Christian Motherhood. There was a large audience in attendance upon the services and flowers were distributed by a bevy of young ladies to all comers—a red for the mother-militant; a white for the mother-triumphant.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug Store. W. H. Windrow.

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Tutt's Pills
will remedy these troubles

QUIHI NOTES.

Mothers' Day was observed very fittingly in Bethlehem Lutheran church last Sunday. The sermon was limited to the subject of the day, the church choir sang several fine selections, and the altar was decorated with beautiful flowers.

The organization of a confirmation class was postponed from last Monday to next Monday, May 19th. Accordingly, all who desire to attend this class and thus prepare for confirmation should be present in the old church next Monday at 9:30 A. M.

On Ascension Day, May 29th, memorial services will be held in Bethlehem Lutheran cemetery at 10 A. M. in honor of departed beloved ones who sleep there. It is hoped that the graves will be decorated with weeds, grass, etc., be cleared away for the solemn occasion.

The ladies of the Quihi and New Fountain Lutheran congregations are kindly requested to meet together in the Quihi Lutheran church at 2:30 o'clock on the afternoon of Ascension Day, May 29th. The object of this meeting is to consider the possibility and advisability of organizing a ladies' aid society. All the ladies are invited to come.

Next Sunday night at 8 o'clock the Bethlehem Luther League will render a very fine and interesting program in the church. The program includes, besides several splendid selections by the church choir, the following numbers: An address by Mr. Walter Balzen. Select readings by Misses Ella Neumann and Mina Hoernchmeyer. Song by Miss Alice Mumme. Male quartet led by Mr. Alfred Boehle. Song accompanied by instrumental music, led by Miss Amanda Grell. Declaration by Mr. Arnold Reitzer. Double quartet led by Walter Grell. And lecture "The first Murder" by the pastor.

Mr. John G. Bohlen of Dunlay recently donated a beautiful gasoline lamp to the Quihi Lutheran church, and thus added a very desirable, necessary and highly appreciated fixture to the equipment of the church.

Immediately following the Mothers' Day service at the Lutheran church the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry G. Boehle of Elstone precinct received the sacrament of holy baptism. The little lady received the name Elsie Emma. The sponsors were Miss Edna Graff and Mr. Walter Graff. From the church a number of relatives and friends repaired to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Boehle of Quihi where the happy occurrence was duly celebrated with a sumptuous dinner and several hours of social intercourse.

NOTICE.

Owing to the graduating exercises of the Hondo High School, the meeting announced at the Chamber of Commerce for Tuesday night, May 20, has been postponed to Thursday night, May 22.

Every member of the Chamber of Commerce and every citizen, regardless of whether or not a member, is earnestly urged to be present.

F. BATOT,

President.

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Men's 50c ties, 25c this week at Miller's.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN—A CORRECTION.

The Directory of the Medina County Schools has been sent out on its journey and will without a doubt find its way into many a home, where it will prove a boon companion to those who are interested in its contents.

The specific mission of the Directory is to bring information and statistics concerning the educational institutions and other moral forces working for the welfare of the citizens of Medina County.

On page 49 we find an enumeration of the various churches in Medina County, but we failed to find the honorable name of the Lutheran church. This conveys the wrong impression that Medina County has no Lutheran church. In order to counteract this wrong impression we herewith send out the information that Medina County has four Lutheran churches, every one of them a strong factor in the dissemination of moral and spiritual truth in their respective communities.

In accordance with this fact it is only fair and square that we also mention the name of the Lutheran church among the churches of Medina County.

REV. G. E. GRUEBER.

Referring to the above, Superintendent Saathoff desires us to state that the omission above referred to was an unintentional oversight which he regrets as much as any one else possibly could. It likewise escaped the eagle eyes of the proof-reader also in the same manner. We are glad to give place to this correction, and hope that thereby any potential harm the error might do may be removed.—Editor.

CASH PRIZES AND COMMISSIONS

The Southern Magazine, of Nashville, Tenn., is inaugurating a big subscription campaign in which it is offering subscription workers a splendid chance to obtain large cash prizes in addition to liberal commissions.

The Southern is the only general magazine in the South, and it has a program of constructive service to the section. This offer gives every one interested in the welfare of the South an opportunity to help build up a useful Southern institution, while at the same time engaging in a pleasant and profitable occupation. Write them today for a sample copy and agents' outfit and go to work at once.

FOR SALE.

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Lawn Mowers, Holloway Bros.

Attend Miller's mid-summer sale.

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To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets.) It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

To Stop a Cough Quick

take HAYES' HEALING HONEY, a cough medicine which stops the cough by healing the inflamed and irritated tissues.

A box of GROVE'S O-PEN-TRATE SALVE for Chest Colds, Head Colds and Croup is enclosed with every bottle of HAYES' HEALING HONEY. The salve should be rubbed on the chest and throat of children suffering from a Cold or Croup.

The healing effect of Hayes' Healing Honey inside the throat combined with the healing effect of Grove's O-Pen-Trate Salve through the pores of the skin soon stops a cough.

Both remedies are packed in one carton and the cost of the combined treatment is 35c.

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CO-OPERATIVE REVIVAL.

The first Sunday in June will mark the beginning of a co-operative revival to be held under a spacious arbor, or tabernacle, to be erected in the School Park.

Dr. Powell, a Baptist minister who is said to be a splendid revivalist and speaker of unusual ability will do the preaching.

Mr. Val Allbritten of Beerville who comes highly recommended as a choir director and soloist will have charge of a large chorus choir.

The tabernacle will be large enough to seat five or six hundred people, and even more if necessary. Workmen will begin the erection of this tabernacle Monday, May 26th, and everything will be in readiness for the following Sunday when the meeting begins.

All are cordially invited, regardless of church affiliation, to worship with us during this special season of revival effort. Leave your "churcharity" at home and bring with you all the Christianity you can master.

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Men's 50c ties, 25c this week at Miller's.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for county commissioner of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, an solicit the votes and support of the people of the precinct.

Yours very truly,

T. J. SAUTER.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER.

We are authorized to announce FRITZ H. BOHLEN

as a candidate for Public Weigher of Precinct 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce BENJ. G. WIEMERS

as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the November election.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 1.

We are authorized to announce T. L. MILLER

as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

We are authorized to announce A. M. LAMM

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DEEDS.

The following realty transfers have
been placed on record since our last
report:

E. L. Etter to Joseph Keller, lot
No. 5, block 26, in town of LaCoste.
Consideration \$100.
J. F. Sturm to J. F. Reus, lots
Nos. 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, block No.
1, in the Schuehle and Hoecky Ad-
dition to the town of Hondo; also
lots Nos. 1 to 10, and lots Nos. 12
to 15 in block No. 13, town of Hondo;
also what is known as the old Beetz
property, a part of No. 3, range No.
5, town of Castroville. Considera-
tion \$7,800.

Jacob F. Reus and wife to John
Sturm, 1,338 acres, 684 acres out
of the R. M. Williamson survey No.
493, abstract No. 1001; also 634
acres, Jane Evans survey No. 492,
612 N. part Rusk Transportation Co.,
survey No. 37, abstract No. 823; 13
acres, Leona Irrigation Co., survey
No. 148, abstract No. 653. Con-
sideration \$23,415.

S. D. Nolin and wife to American
Shoe and Hat Co., 80 acres W. one-
half of John A. Griffin survey No.
22, abstract No. 1,385. Considera-
tion \$799.98.

Gus J. Groos to Alexander Boynton
et al., 273 and 44-100 acres,
part of Subdivision "C" in survey
No. 7, Caleb Kempf. Consideration
\$6,836.

Earl Starnes et al. to Alfred G.
Brucks, lots Nos 1 and 2, block 5,
Starnes-Martin Addition to the town
of Hondo. Consideration \$250.

Paul Reinhart to F. J. Carle, lots
Nos. 1, 2 and 3, block "B" town
of D'Hanis. Consideration \$300.

Edgar John Frederick Reinhart to
Louis Carle, lots Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and
5, block "A", town of D'Hanis. Con-
sideration \$850.

Albert Kempf, Sr., and wife to
Benjamin Kempf, 29 acres, said
tract also being known as Outlot
No. 11. Consideration 1,800.

F. M. Ward and wife to Elizabeth
Mary Bohmfalk, 158 acres, out of
survey No. 764, Adam Cable league.
\$1 and other valuable considerations.
L. F. Price and wife to Paul Her-
ring, 100 feet, east side of lots Nos.
1 and 4, block No. 8. New City block
No. 35; also 50 feet on west side
of lots Nos. 1 and 4, New City block
No. 35; also a lot of household
furniture. Consideration \$4,000.

R. O. Winkler and wife to Emil
G. Haby, 4 acres, B. Sandoval No.
40. \$1 and other valuable con-
siderations.

H. C. Jones and wife to J. B.
Williams et al., 5 acres, J. Brothaz
survey No. 15. Consideration \$1,000.

Robert N. Deckert to William A.
Lutz, 19 2-3 acres, J. J. Casanova
survey No. 459. Consideration \$885.

J. M. Finger, trustee in bankruptcy
of the estate F. A. Brown, bankrupt,
to O. H. Miller, 765 acres, survey
No. 19, certificate No. 97, Abraham
Schmetzler. Consideration \$20,922-
25.

O. H. Miller to W. T. McKee, 765
acres, survey No. 19, certificate No.
97, Abraham Schmetzler. Considera-
tion \$22,185.

Minnie J. Fuos to Walter J. Fuos,
lots Nos. 4 and 5, block No. 45, town
of Hondo. Consideration \$1 and ex-
change of property.

Walter J. Fuos and wife to Jacob
Fuos, 240 acres, survey No. 329, B.
S. & F. certificate No. 1-901, ab-
stract No. 1,117, C. Stiegler. Con-
sideration \$1,600 and exchange of
property.

L. F. Faseler and wife to Fritz
Faseler, 343 acres, N. W. part of
survey No. 804, certificate No. 790,
abstract No. 644, A. A. LaCoste.
Consideration \$12,000.

J. B. Williams et al. to Medina
County, .38 of an acre, to be used
by the San Antonio-Laredo High-
way. Consideration \$60.80.

John Sturm to Louis A. Haby,
159 1-10 acres, survey No. 46, Jos.
Ulrich. Consideration \$2,400.

Julius Tschirhart and wife to John
Sturm, 159 1-10 acres, survey No.
46. Consideration, \$1 and other
valuable considerations.

J. W. Nixon to R. L. Nixon, 17

tracts totaling 6,143 acres, being the
E. one-half of what is known as the
Nixon ranch, 20 miles N. W. of
Hondo. \$10 and other valuable con-
siderations.

Chas. Boog and wife to Richard
Carle, lots Nos. 9, 10, and 11 block
13, town of D'Hanis. Consideration
\$450.

Quit claim, Gertrude Skinner et
ol. to Mrs. Zillah Ulbrich, undivided
one-half interest in 390 30-100 acres
out of survey No. 65, B. S. & F.,
and survey No. 4, Kennedy Bros.
No consideration given.

Martin Zerr to August Grimsinger
and Wm. Lieber, 3 1/4 acres out of
Martin Zerr Subdivision of 500 acres,
survey No. 459, Juan Casanova.
Consideration \$10.

I. H. King to A. G. Walker, lots
Nos. 14, 15 and 16, block 36, town
of Hondo. Consideration \$2,400.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Deaths.

The following deaths were report-
ed to the county clerk for the month
of April:

February 29, John B. Wernette,
white male, Castroville.

April 7, Clarence William Franger,
white male, LaCoste.

April 10, Alvaran Rodriguez, Mexi-
can male, Hondo.

April 11, Fritz W. Boehle, white
male, Dunlay.

April 15, Mrs. Ruth S. Williams,
white female, Atlanta, Georgia.

Births.

The following births were placed
on record during the month of April:

April 1, To Mr. and Mrs. Henry
Nester, D'Hanis, girl.

April 1, To Mr. and Mrs. Relon
Cuntin, Medina County, boy.

April 3, To Mr. and Mrs. Manuel
Garcia, LaCoste, girl.

April 4, To Mr. and Mrs. Pascual
Perez, Medina County, boy.

April 11, To Mr. and Mrs. E. J.
B. Schuehling, Hondo, girl.

April 11, To Mr. and Mrs. Obel
Dominguez, Hondo, boy.

April 14, To Mr. and Mrs. B. W.
Rector, Hondo, boy.

April 14, To Mr. and Mrs. Martin
Miranda, Hondo, girl.

April 17, To Mr. and Mrs. Oscar
Joseph Bader, Hondo, girl.

April 20, To Mr. and Mrs. Solomon
Felan, Dunlay, girl.

April 20, To Mr. and Mrs. Sam
Patrick Haralson, Hondo, girl.

April 22, To Mr. and Mrs. Chon
Monchada, Yancey, boy.

April 22, To Mr. and Mrs. Victorio
Fuentez, Hondo, girl.

Marriage Licenses.

The following permits to wed have
been issued by the county clerk:

Mr. Alfred C. H. Boehle and Miss
Edna Louisa Heyen, May 12th.

Mr. Archie F. Jagge and Miss
Celina Schott, May 9th.

SCHOLASTIC CENSUS.

The scholastic census of Medina
County shows 3,886 children within
the scholastic age in the county, an
increase of 84 over last year. Of
this increase, 71 is found in the
rural schools, 12 in the Devine In-
dependent District and 1 in the
D'Hanis Independent District. The
following shows how the children
are located:

In the rural schools 2,579
Hondo Independent District 579
Devine Independent District 522
D'Hanis Independent District... 206

TOTAL 3,886
One of the peculiarities of the
census is the fact that the Hondo
Independent District shows exactly
the same number of scholastics as
the previous year.

FARM LOANS.

The Hondo National Farm Loan
Association, H. E. Haass, Secretary-
Treasurer, Hondo, Texas, represent-
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ENTERTAINMENT.

The Rothe School at Upper Hondo
closed a most successful school term
on the 25th of April and on the night
of April 26th, an interesting enter-
tainment was given by the pupils
and some grown-ups.

The program follows:

1. Song—We Hope You've Brought
Your Smiles Along, Girls.

2. Recitation—Welcome, Goldie
Poerner.

3. Recitation—Soldiers All, Robert
Cravey.

4. Dialogue—Secrets, Ella Sprott,
Edna Sprott and Gladys Poerner.

5. Recitation—A nurse, Ruby Cra-
vey.

6. Play—Assessor, Edgar Sprott,
Edw. Clark, Edwin Sprott, Ruby
Rieber and Mary Cravey.

7. Playlet—Paw Gets Took, Rudy
Sprott, Willie Scheile, Eddy May
Poerner, Gladys Poerner and Goldie
Poerner.

8. Playlet—Mama's Boy, Eddy
May Poerner, Ruby Rieber, Youra
Clark, Edna Sprott, Goldie Poerner,
Felix Sprott and Carl Pressler.

9. Play—Teacher, Kin I Go Home?
—E. S. Rieber, Thos. Ross, Jas. Ross,
Oswald Poerner, Jas. Clark, Felix
Sprott, Rudolph Ross, Mary Cravey,
Goldie Poerner and Annie Cravey.

10. Dialogue—The Old Hat, Os-
wald Poerner and Rudolph Ross.

11. Dialogue—Handy Andy, Rudy
Sprott and Jas. Ross.

12. Play—Kink in Kizzie's Wed-
ding, E. S. Rieber, Mrs. E. S. Rieber,
Eddy May Poerner, Ruby Rieber,
Alice Reus, Edw. Clark, Willie Schie-
le, Edgar Sprott, Jas. Clark, Thos.
Ross, Felix Sprott, Rudolph Ross,
Edwin Sprott, Rudy Sprott, Mary
Cravey, Gladys Poerner, Goldie Poer-
ner, Annie Cravey and Rosie Reus.

13. Now Aren't You Glad You
Came, Eddy May Poerner and Ruby
Rieber.

MRS. J. C. JONES DEAD.

Dr. Bradley received a telegram
Monday night notifying him that
Mrs. J. C. Jones had died at 9:45
at her home in Dallas. The telegram
contained no details, and it is not
known whether her death was sudden
or was the result of a spell of illness.
Mrs. Jones was known and had
a number of friends among the older
residents of Hondo, who will be
grieved to learn of her passing. She
resided here a number of years while
her husband edited and published the
Hondo Herald, being the editor at the
time of the County seat election.
From here the Jones family moved
to Eagle Pass where Mr. Jones enter-
ed the custom service. The whirl-
gig of politics having caused Mr.
Jones' retirement from the govern-
ment service, the family moved to
Dallas where they have since made
their home.

AGRICULTURAL ENCAMPMENT.

Every hour at the District Agri-
cultural Encampment at the Medina
Hereford Ranch six different lectures
or demonstrations will be given.
Two will be for women and girls;
two for men; and two for boys.
Regular livestock courses and crop
courses will be offered both men and
boys, who can choose either one or
select parts of both.
The women's course will consist
of sewing, millinery, cookery, can-
ning and poultry management.
This is the second year the En-
campment has been held by the Ex-
tension Service of the A. & M. Col-
lege. The dates this year are June
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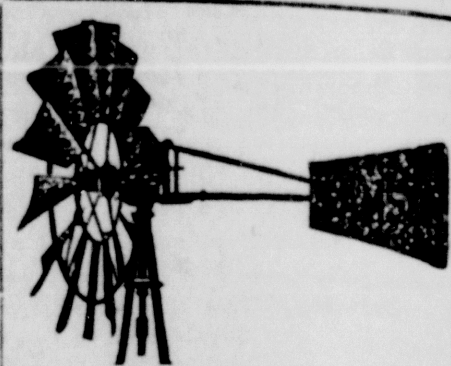
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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from
This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, MAY 15, 1924

ED. HUEHNER, Local Representative

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Sally Betty and Big Jim at Castroville School House, May 20. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mann and Oscar, and Mrs. M. Sues, visited relatives in D'Hanis one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Jessie and Al Mann were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Louis Wurzbach was here Saturday at Riomedina.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schott, Jr., Devine spent Sunday here with Mrs. Willie Brieden.

Mrs. Joe F. Schott is reported to be very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Jagge and son, John, of Upper Hondo, and Mr. Mrs. Ed Poerner of Upper Hondo attended the Schott-Jagge wedding Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schmidt and Mrs. Jagge of San Antonio were here for the Schott-Jagge wedding Monday.

Mr. Oscar Etter and little daughter, Bonnie, left Sunday for Smithville where she will join her husband on a visit of several weeks with mother, Mrs. Ed. Bohl.

Mrs. Gertrude Koch was here Sunday from San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Elliot and little daughter, Maxine, left Friday for home in Belton after a nine day stay here.

Mr. Otto Wurzbach and children were here from Cliff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Droitcourt and son of Hondo spent Sunday here.

Mr. Hans spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mr. Hans returned Saturday from San Antonio.

Mr. John Traggesser visited in San Antonio during the week.

Mr. FitzSimon came in from San Antonio Saturday to visit his parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon.

Mr. Lawrence FitzSimon was here on a visit to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. FitzSimon.

Mr. Bourquin and Herbert Tontag spent Sunday in San Antonio.

Mr. August Weynand of San Antonio is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Traggesser, here this week.

Mr. W. J. Garnand and little son, John, and Mrs. Henry Haass and daughter, were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. Schmitt, who has been quite lame back on the mail route, returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer spent Sunday with their daughter, Miss Scherrer, in San Antonio.

Mr. Octavia Davis and Joe Brucks were here the week-end in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Scherrer failed to hear the Alabama game in songs and dance at Castroville School House, Tuesday, May 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Schott, Sr., of Hondo, spent Tuesday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Tondre were San Antonio visitors this week.

Mr. Irma Wilkinson of San Antonio spent Tuesday here with Mrs. Tondre.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Groff returned to San Antonio Tuesday where Groff has been at the hospital the past four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. FitzSimon and daughter, went to San Antonio Wednesday where Dr. FitzSimon will stay several days under a specialist's treatment. We wish the Doctor a speedy recovery.

Mr. Walter Kralik left last Wednesday for Westhoff, Texas, accompanied by Gust Koenig, as a delegate to attend an Evangelical Lutheran conference.

Mrs. Hy. Vonlie and Adolph were San Antonio business visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bohl and daughter, Devine, neighborhood Castroville visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard were here Saturday, May 10, a daughter, John Traggesser was called to the bedside of his son who is ill at San Antonio.

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the prize. Andre Ahr's horse vs. Hy Haller's mare was a tie. In the 3-calf roping contest Fred Jagge vs. John Hoffman, the latter was victor. The dance at night, at the Electric Park Dance Hall, was well attended and very much enjoyed.

Be sure to see Big Jim and the Alabama Coons at Castroville School House, Tuesday, May 20.

Commencement exercises at Castroville School Auditorium May 22 at 8:30 P. M.

JAGGE-SCHOTT WEDDING.

A very pretty wedding took place at 9:00 o'clock Monday morning in the Catholic church when Miss Celina Schott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schott, became the bride of Mr. Archie Jagge, son of Amos Jagge, Rev. A. Heckman reading the wedding ceremony. The bride was dressed in a lovely dress of white satin and wore a veil and wreath of orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of white flowers.

The attendants were Miss Clara Schott and Marion Hans, Miss Lorine Bippert and Cornelius Schott, Miss Eddie May Poerner and Oscar Karm. The bride's maides were dressed in light green Japanese crape over pink and carried bouquets of flowers. The reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. The young couple will make their home at the Jagge Ranch where a new bungalow is awaiting them.

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RIOMEDINA NEWS.

Mrs. Oscar J. Schuehle has returned to her home at Hondo after spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. T. Wurzbach.

Mrs. Aug. Wurzbach is spending a while with relatives at Castroville.

Chas. J. Ahr made a business trip to San Antonio one day last week.

Miss Olivia Huegele returned home Sunday after spending a few days with friends at LaCoste.

Chas. T. Wurzbach and family were at San Antonio one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf. J. Wurzbach spent Sunday with Max Boehme and family.

Mrs. Aug. Schuehle, Mrs. Earl Starnes and Mrs. Robert Bendele and baby of Hondo were the guests of Chas. T. Wurzbach's family Thursday.

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UPPER QUIHI NOTES.

Harry Balzen is sporting a brand new Ford.

Miss Freda Balzen left for Hondo last Wednesday where she has accepted a position in the office of the Medina County Abstract Company.

Ben Gerdes, E. W. Balzen and Adolph Eckhart took a spin to Peach Tree Tuesday. Mrs. Gerdes and sons, Lester and Stanley, accompanied them as far as Mrs. Gerdes' sister's, Mrs. Emil Lemberg, at the Stiegler ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. And. Oefinger and baby, Mary Lee, visited Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Bader in Hondo Sunday. Mr. Oefinger returned in the evening. Mrs. Oefinger and baby remained in the city a few days longer.

Mr. and Mrs. John Balzen, Mrs. A. G. Eckhart and daughters, Ethel and Gladys, paid a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moehring at Lower Hondo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben de Joirno and children were Castroville visitors one day the past week.

Mrs. E. W. Balzen and son, Myrlin, and Mrs. C. H. Fous were shopping in Hondo Monday.

Misses Jane Knippa and Sadie Earnest and the school children, and a few guests enjoyed an outing at the river near Riomedina Saturday.

Ferdie Carle nad Elmer Biediger of Bader Settlement passed through here Tuesday enroute to Peach Tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moehring and children, Harold and Virginia, of Lower Hondo visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Balzen here Monday evening.

Dibble Club base ball players were here Sunday and crossed bats with the Quihi Team on the Quihi Diamond. The score was 6 to 5 in favor of San Antonio.

Birthday Party.

Little Myrlin Chester Balzen entertained a number of his little friends Monday evening at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Balzen, the occasion being his fifth birthday. The evening was whiled away in playing, drinking and eating, consisting of ice-cold soda and lemonade, ice cream and cake. The birthday cake contained five candles and three prizes. Little Stearl Brucks drew the dime, Lillian Schuehle the nickel, and Gladys Eckhart the copper.

Those present were: George and Henry Schuehle, Stanley and Stearl Brucks, Lester and Stanley Gerdes, Benjamin de Joirno, Gladys and Ethel Eckhart, Lillian Schuehle and Mary de Joirno.

MIKE AND IKE.

A SURPRISE PARTY.

A pleasant surprise was given to Miss Alice Mumme, April 28.

Those present were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Mumme and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Muennink and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Heyen and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Schweers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gerdes and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Muennink and son, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Lindeburg and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reitzer, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Heyen, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Breiten, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Buss, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Fous, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Balzen, Mr. and Mrs. Harm Gerdes, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brucks, and Misses Bertha, Elsie and Hulda Oefinger, Ida, Alice, Lydia and Jane Katherine Saathoff, Evelyn and Hazel Gerdes, Maggie Reitzer, Alice and Viola Schweers, Myrtle Stiegler, Nellie Muennink, Gertrude Foerster, Mina Hoernshmeyer, and Anna May Filleman, and Messrs. Oscar, Theodore and George Reitzer, Walter, Hugo, Melvin, Alvin, Harry and Oscar Balzen, Boodie Gerdes, Willie Schuehle, Harry, Joe and Otto.

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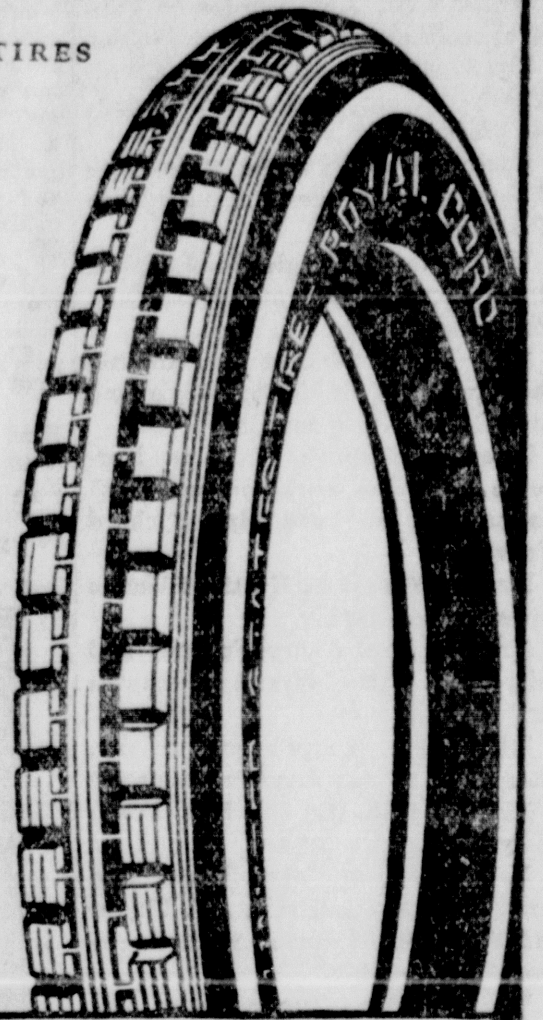
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"In April I went up to Arkansas to visit my sister. . . She said to me, 'Willie, if you are going to take anything, take Cardui. It will really help you.' I came home and told my doctor what she had said and he said I could not take any better tonic, so my husband immediately got me a bottle and I began it. . . My case was a pretty tough one, I know, so I kept on faithfully. After the fourth bottle, I began to feel very much better, so much so that I was surprised at myself. I have taken six bottles now and I can truly say I feel like a different woman. . . I feel fine and I owe it all to Cardui, which I took faithfully."

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D'HANIS NEWSLETS.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Klasing and family of San Antonio visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Johnson and Miss Bess Rieber motored to Sabinal Monday.

Mr. and Mr. Aug. Gerdes of Yancey spent Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. A. Esser, the Insurance Agent, was over from Hondo a few days this week.

Harold Meurin and Dick Wernette of San Antonio spent Sunday here with homefolks.

W. C. Ney of Eagle Lake visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Ney Sunday.

Miss Cecil Braden of San Antonio was the guest of Misses Josie and Lucy Rothe a few days last week.

Maurice Wallrath of Camp Normoyle spent the week-end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wallrath.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath of Hondo visited here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Franger and baby spent Saturday and Sunday in San Antonio.

Miss Edna Huegele and friend, Miss Alvis, of San Antonio, spent the week here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huegele.

Mr. and Mrs. John Finger and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alf. Finger and little son of Hondo visited relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rothe and daughter, Melvira, visited in Hondo Saturday afternoon.

Mr. Hy. Wernette and daughter, Miss Minnie, spent Saturday and Sunday in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Finger and son, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Finger and children, Mrs. Nic Fohn and children and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Rothe and daughters spent Friday afternoon in Hondo.

Miss Dora Zinsmeyer spent a few days in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rely of Hondo visited her mother, Mrs. Carolyn Brozke, here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ney of Hondo visited relatives here Monday.

Miss Josie Rothe spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Sabinal.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ernst and children, of San Antonio, are visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Oscar Tondre visited in Hondo Tuesday.

Messrs. Joe Koch and Martin Zinsmeyer made a business trip to San Antonio Wednesday.

Mesdames H. C. Rothe and Mary Brieden and Miss Josie Rothe spent Tuesday afternoon in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Finger and Miss Aggie Carle visited in San Antonio Wednesday and Thursday.

Social Club.

The members of the Social Club enjoyed the party given by Miss Cora Finger on the afternoon of Friday, May 9th. Progressive "42" was played for several hours and prizes were awarded to Mrs. W. O. Rothe and Mrs. A. J. Finger. Delicious ice-cream and cake were served to the following: Mesdames W. O. Rothe, A. J. Finger, Ben Koch, W. E. Albrecht; Misses Lucy Rothe, Dora Zinsmeyer, Josie Rothe and the hostess.

Library and Intermediate Program. Singing Song, Springtime, chorus. Song, We've Just Got Married, by the High School Pupils.

Music, by Miss Effie Reinhart. Playlet, At the Wishing Well—3 acts, by Primary and Intermediate Pupils.

Jolly Gypsy Song and Dance, by Four Girls.

Music, Miss Lena Reinhart.

Oh, Dear, Such Horrid Colds, by Primary and Intermediate Pupils.

The Whistling Boy, by E. J. Ney and Hazel Koch.

The Quest of The Pink Parasol, Operetta, 3 acts, by Primary and Intermediate Pupils.

Song, "Little Fairy Mary", Little Girls.

Japanese Drill, By Twelve Girls.

May 21, 1924. Herman Son's Hall. 8:00 P. M.

NOTICE, ADVERTISERS AND CONTRIBUTORS.

We want to lock our forms at noon Friday. We have to do this to get the paper into the mails on time. You will greatly assist us by getting your copy in at the earliest possible moment. By all means, have it in our hands not later than Thursday afternoon. By taking due notice of this and acting accordingly you will confer a great favor on us and avoid disappointment for yourself.

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Ford Touring, 1923 model, practically new, in perfect condition. A bargain, must be sold immediately. Citizens Motor Car Co.

CASTROVILLE DISTRICT NO. ONE. (P. O. Castroville, Texas.)

From Directory, Medina County Public Schools.

Situated on the banks of the Medina River in the eastern part of the County. The district maintained a one teacher public school up to the beginning of the 1915-16 school year. This school was situated in the northwestern part of the village. During the summer of 1915, the board of trustees realized that the one room building was entirely inadequate for the present need of the school and town. They, having accumulated enough money from their several years balances, purchased the old court house, and transformed it into a modern school building. To these trustees—Mr. Adolph Tondre, Mr. W. P. Naegelin and Mr. A. E. Mechler, the boys and girls of Castroville owe a lasting debt of gratitude for the wisdom exercised in securing this valuable building, and transforming it into a High School.

Mr. E. G. Morris was the first principal, and Miss Alice Tondre, now Mrs. L. C. Howard, assistant.

Today, the school has ten regular organized grades. The graduates from this school find no trouble in entering the State's higher institutions of learning.

The present board of trustees are: Mr. Louis Scherrer, Mr. George Frey and Mr. R. D. Williamson.

Teachers. Term, 9 months. Salary

Miss Octavia Davis, Prin. \$125.00

Miss Josephine Brucks \$75.00

Mrs. H. V. Haass \$75.00

Scholastics—213. Enrolled 51. Equipment, good. Library is added to every year. A small tax would help wonderfully.



CASTROVILLE SCHOOL, DISTRICT 1.

HISTORY OF CASTROVILLE. By Laura Kralik and Ralph Tschirhart, Seniors '24.

Castroville is situated in a horseshoe bend of the Medina River with a small range of hills on the West side. In 1844, Henry Castro with a few settlers from the European Countries landed at Galveston and proceeded to San Antonio. After several months of preparation at San Antonio the small colony finally reached their destination and settled on the beautiful Medina River. Among the early settlers were those by the name of Haass, Haby, Burger and Burrell, whose ancestors are still prominent in this community.

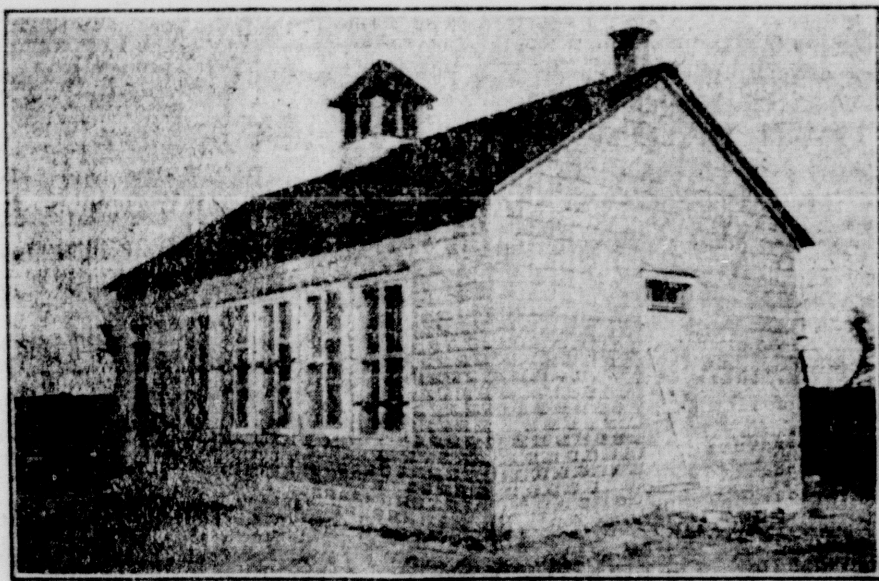
The houses were built of rock in a rectangular shape, which are built projected into the street. The houses were not very high, having only a few windows and dirt floors. The most modern architectural work is the convent which is now used as a seminary. It is about 350 feet wide and three stories high. The town is surveyed out into blocks.

Mr. Wernette, one of the early settlers, opened the Wernette's Garden for the amusement of the public. At present the "Electric Park" serves for this purpose. It was opened in 1923 by Mr. John Traggesser. It is situated on the Medina River in a big pecan grove. The large pecan trees which shade the grounds make it very cool and pleasant together with the bathing beach which enables people from the surrounding communities to have an enjoyable time.

The scenery all along the river is very attractive with the large pecan, willow and cypress trees intermingled with grape vines and to make the picture complete there are wild violets, blue bonnets and other wild flowers typical of Texas. Then there are the hills for those who enjoy climbing. Among them one of much interest is the Cross Hill, formerly used for religious exercises on special occasions. From this hill may be seen the quaint village of Castroville which reminds us of the words taken from Longfellow's Evangeline, "And the village of Grand Pre lay in a fruitful valley."

RIO MEDINA DISTRICT NO. TWO. (P. O. Rio Medina, Texas.)

In the Medina Valley, one of the richest farming sections in the southwest, about six miles north of Castroville, is the Rio Medina School. This is one of the oldest school districts in the County. The building was put up by popular subscription. A neat little two room teacherage also adorns the school grounds. The majority of the people of this community are of German descent—a splendid, industrious, frugal type of citizen. Their homes are modern and are equipped with modern conveniences.



RIO MEDINA SCHOOL, DISTRICT 2.

The school building conforms to the modern state approved plans. Rio Medina is the logical place for a first class rural high school, and the time is not distant when the citizens will undertake this gigantic, important work of placing a modern school within reach of all their children. Under the guidance of an efficient board of trustees and co-operative parents the school has prospered and made gradual progress. The school is attractively furnished and equipped with modern shades, single desks, hylo-plate blackboards, globe, maps, and steel locker for the text books.

The present board of trustees are: Mr. O. A. Haby, H. J. Bippert and Arnold Wurzbach.

Miss Jennie Terrell, teacher. Term, 9 months. Salary, \$65.00. Certificate, Second Grade. School is doing splendid work.

Scholastics 37, enrolled 27. The district levies 15c maintenance tax.

WITH THE DRILLERS.

After finishing washing and swabbing Ina No. 3 went on the pump last week-end but up to the present time we have no information as to its probable capacity.

The location of Ina No. 4, while not definitely settled up to noon Thursday, Manager Brown said it would probably be 600 feet north of Ina No. 1, on the east side of the river. This well is to be spudded in just as soon as the rig can be moved to the location—probably by the middle of the coming week. As the drilling company having the contract will forfeit heavy penalties unless the four wells are completed within the specified time, no time can be lost.

If anything unusual has transpired at either the Ward No. 1 or the Williams well on the Moebius farm, we have not been advised.

A 112-foot derrick has been erected on the Jungman tract, Caleb Kempf survey, on the Francisco, by the Witherspoon Oil Co. It is the purpose of the company to go to the Edwards lime unless pay sand is encountered at a less depth.

Meanwhile leasing is very active and competition between the different companies is sending acreage soaring. All land within a radius of several miles of the proven territory is under lease and the prices now being paid will force the different companies to begin exploration work at an early date. Everything points to a great drilling campaign within the next few months.

NOTICE

Board of Equilization.

County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, sitting as a board of equilization.

The State of Texas—County of Medina.

In the County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas.

I, S. A. Jungman, County Clerk and ex-officio clerk of the County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, do hereby give notice the the Honorable Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, will convene and sit as a Board of Equilization, commencing on the third Monday in May, A. D. 1924, the same being the nineteenth day of said month, for the purpose of receiving all the assessment lists or books of the assessor of taxes of Medina County, Texas, for inspection, correction or equilization and approval.

Witness my hand and seal of the County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas, this the 8th day of May, A. D. 1924.

[L. S.] S. A. JUNGMAN,
County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk,
County Commissioners' Court of Medina County, Texas.

CARD OF THANKS.

To those kind friends whose cheerful visits to our dear Mother, Mrs. W. E. Newton, cheered and comforted her through her long, weary years of suffering, whose presence and sympathy comforted us in the hour of darkness and sorrow, and whose presence at the funeral and whose gifts of flowers softened the sorrow and sweetened the memory of the sad event, our hearts go out in thanks and grateful appreciation.

Sincerely and sadly,
THE CHILDREN.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The back part of the Rest Room is reserved for the use of women and children. Men having occasion for using the Chamber of Commerce Hall for consultation or other business, please use the front part of the Hall.

Secretary Chamber of Commerce.

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Chorus

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Scripture Reading

"Consider the Lilies"

Papliiff

Mrs. Roland Gaines

Rev. A. M. Foster

"O, Love That Will Not Let Me Go"

Chorus

Rev. J. T. Horger

MRS. W. E. NEWTON DEAD. A GOOD MAN GONE.

After an illness of some nine years, Mrs. W. E. Newton quietly passed away at her home here Monday evening, May 13, 1924, at 10 o'clock. Her remains were taken to rest in Oakwood cemetery, by the side of her late husband, at 4 o'clock P. M. Wednesday. Rev. A. M. Foster, her pastor, conducted the funeral services at the church and the grave, testifying to the sterling Christian character and patient attitude of the deceased.

Mrs. Newton was born June 11, 1850, in Henry County, Tennessee. Her parents came with her shortly after her birth to Texas where her life has been spent. Coming from Mason County to Medina County, her husband and family in 1881, she has resided here since.

She was married in early life to late W. E. Newton, and was the mother of eleven children. Seven of these survive to mourn her departure. She is also mourned by a number of grand-children. Being married at the age of 16 years, and uniting with the Methodist church in which she lived and died, she was a typical Christian life, and in her experiences and sweetened service to humanity.

A good mother has gone to her reward. May she rest in peace.

BOB HAIRE BANDITS.

Medina County is always up to date. New York's bob haired band made a nation-wide reputation. Medina County went the Metropolitan better and has two bob-haired bandits.

Two men and two women, merely two, probably neither 20 years old, were placed in jail here about noon today with a charge of attempted robbery set opposite their names. They were caught by the night watchman of Devine while attempting to burglarize the Howell store. One of the men showed fight but was not quick enough on the draw the watchman covered him and told him to drop his murderous weapon.

The quartet claim to be from Medina but one of the penal institutions of Texas will probably be their habitat for some time to come.

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE.

Sunday, May 18, 1924.

Leader: Mrs. Will Crow.

Subject: How Jesus Overcame Temptation.

Scripture reading: James 1: 2-3; 1 cor. 10: 13.

Temptation is inseparable from experience of a Moral Being, by the Character of Temptation and with our Personal History, as Mrs. McClaugherty.

Overcoming Temptation, by Willie McClaugherty.

Something to do When Tempted, by Marietta Fly.

Announcements.

Benediction.

WANTED—FARMS, LANDS AND TOWN PROPERTY.

We have calls for Farms and lands, in all sizes; and town houses for sale or rent—from two to six acres. If you have something that can offer at a reasonable price, get in touch with us and we will sell it for you.

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Hats, 1/2 off at Miller's.

In the passing of Harold Baldwin, whose death occurred at Sabinal Monday, May 12th, his family, his town and the newspaper fraternity suffered a distinct loss. We have known him somewhat intimately for most of the sixteen years of his newspaper life at Sabinal, and in every relation of life we have found him a good man. We were proud to call him our friend, and we weep with his family in a mutual sorrow over his passing. May his loved ones find surcease of sorrow in that faith that whispers—"It is well with the departed."

FOR SALE.

The F. L. Durbon place, on the highway in D'Hanis, is for sale cheap and on reasonable terms if desired. Place consists of about four acres of land, 4-room house, outhouses, two good wells, windmill, 1800-gallon galvanized tank, water piped all over place. All fenced into convenient lots with hog and chicken proof fence. For price and further particulars apply to the owner in D'Hanis or to Fletcher Davis, Agent, Hondo, Texas.

Business and calling cards printed at the Anvil Herald office. tf.

GRADUATING EXERCISES AT CASTROVILLE.

This paper is in receipt of an invitation to attend the graduating exercises of the Castroville High School at 8 o'clock, Thursday, May 22nd.

The class is composed of the following graduates:

Laura C. Kralick, Ralph L. Tschirhart, Ralph de Montel, Sylvan P. Halbardier, Leonard E. Marty, Thomas E. Hans and Anthony FitzSimon.

GRASS HOPPER CONTROL MEETING.

All farmers interested in the poisoning of Grass Hoppers should attend a meeting to be held on Court House lawn at Hondo Saturday, May 24th, at 3:00 P. M.

A specialist will give demonstration in mixing poison; also lecture on best methods of control.

All farmers should attend this meeting whether they have grasshopper infestation or not.

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Lot No. 5, out of block No. 7, in the J. W. Miller Addition is for sale for cash. If you want to purchase a nice building site for a residence in Hondo see Fletcher Davis, Manager, HONDO LAND CO.

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A real sale of straw hats at Miller's this week. tf.

LACOSTE DISTRICT NO. THREE.

(P. O. LaCoste, Texas.)

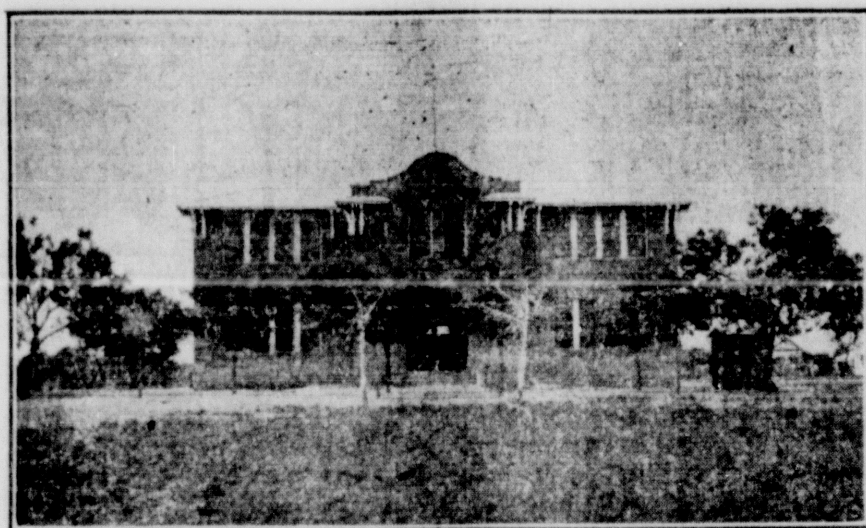
From Directory, Medina County Public Schools.

LaCoste, a town of 500, is situated in the southeastern part of Medina County, on the G. H. & S. A. R. R., in the heart of the Medina Valley Irrigation lands.

LaCoste district maintained a one teacher school for several years about one mile north of the village on the banks of the Medina River. As the town became larger the citizens built a one teacher school in the village. In 1913, under the leadership of Dr. Roller, teacher, and Mr. Frank Keller, Mr. Joe Hutzler and Mr. Henry Kaufmann, a vigorous campaign for a \$10,000.00 bond issue was launched. The citizens saw the necessity of a new modern High School building, and supported the issue with an almost unanimous vote. This year the school has employed four teachers and is doing three years' high school work for a term of nine months.

LaCoste is noted for its hospitality and big-heartedness. Many of the citizens are descendants from the early settlers of the Castro Colony. They have learned the "Art of Work" in a skillful way. The entire citizenship of the district is perseveringly active in the pursuit of some laudable undertaking. The merchants, Bank, The LaCoste Ledger and other business enterprises are prosperous, and ardent supporters of any school project.

So far three classes have been graduated from the high school department. A large proportion of the graduates is now found in institutions of higher learning preparing for lives of greater usefulness. It is to be regretted that not more of the boys and girls of the district take advantage of the educational opportunities offered them and complete the high school course. The four teachers employed are working together in harmony for the best interests of the school. All are members of the Texas State Teachers' Association.



LACOSTE SCHOOL, DISTRICT 3.

The present board of trustees are: Mr. Paul Jungman, Mr. Ed. Etter and Mr. A. H. Ahr—a very considerate board which is always ready to assist the school and teachers in any way possible.

Teachers.	Term, 9 months.	Salary.	Certificate
Supt. A. J. Dippel,		\$125.00	Permanent
Mrs. A. J. Dippel,		\$ 75.00	Per. Pri.
Miss Vera Williams,		\$ 75.00	Second Grade
Miss Annie Zinsmeyer,		\$ 75.00	Second Grade

Scholastics 242. Enrolled 93. The equipment of this school is very good. Every department is strengthened every year. A local tax would work marvelously towards ameliorating conditions.

The most urgent needs of the school are: libraries for all the grades, busy work material for the primary grades, apparatus for teaching science in the high school, sanitary drinking fountains, and playground equipment. These could easily be supplied by funds that might be derived from a small tax, (much of which would be paid by the railroad and irrigation companies.) With the additional equipment the standard of the school could be raised and the work made more attractive for the pupils.

HISTORY OF LACOSTE.

By Martha Ahr,
1st Year High School.

The progressive little town of LaCoste, which is situated in the heart of the fertile Medina valley, twenty-five miles west of San Antonio, was founded in 1882 when the Galveston, Harrisburg & San Antonio railway was built through this County. The people who settled here came mostly from Castroville. They are a sturdy, prosperous, economical and hard-working people. The first place of business in LaCoste was a small merchandise store kept by W. J. Garmand. The population of LaCoste is about 500. The elevation above sea level is 720 feet.

All of the land in and near LaCoste is very fertile. Over half of the district is subject to irrigation. The irrigated land is valued at two hundred dollars per acre on an average, and the non-irrigated land at seventy dollars an acre. The main farm products are: Corn, which is the most important grain crop, over half of the land being planted in corn. The average yield per acre on irrigated land is fifty bushels; on the non-irrigated, thirty bushels. Oats, wheat, maize and cotton are other important farm products. Rice has recently become a farm product and is proving a success. Vegetables have also been added to the list of farm products and are also proving a success. Pecan groves are numerous along the Medina River and would be an excellent source of wealth if they were budded or grafted to the paper-shell varieties. The preparation for work of improving pecans will be begun extensively this spring.

LaCoste is a trade center and distributing point for an extensive area, including some of the neighboring hamlets. The records in the railroad office show that in the past year 100 cars of supplies were shipped in and 484 cars of products, including 374 cars of corn, 63 cars of hay, 35 cars of livestock, 2 cars of rice, 2 cars of onions, and 8 cars of wheat, were shipped out. In addition to the railroad transportation, eight automobile trucks are busily employed in transporting products to and from town.

Besides many minor business undertakings the main business enterprises are: four general merchandise stores, a drug store, two meat markets, two garages, a hotel, seven grain warehouses and two lumber yards. All of them do a prosperous business. The town can also boast of a wide-awake weekly newspaper, published by Mr. J. C. Biediger. In addition to the editing of the LaCoste Ledger the printing of another periodical for a neighboring town, and a considerable amount of job work keeps three men busy.

LaCoste is one of the healthiest places in the state, this being evidenced by the fact that the town can support only one physician, and he having the practice over an extensive area. LaCoste is not only famed for a health resort, but it is, too, becoming a pleasure resort. The game is plentiful in the forests and the fish are abundant in the Medina River and also in the Medina Lake which is only twenty-five miles from LaCoste and is a pleasure resort known over the entire state.

A large portion of the people are members of the Catholic church, which has a large membership and a beautiful church and parsonage in the northern part of town. This organization also maintains a church school attended by about eighty pupils and taught by three sisters of Charity.

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FLETCHERIZED FARM FACTS

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types of dairy animals, and you want to know the purpose to be served and which breed will serve that purpose best. Otherwise you may find yourself in the predicament of the man who bought a "milkster" when he wanted a "butter machine" and while he had milk overflowing every thing, from the milk crock to his rubber boots, to quote him, he hadn't enough cream to season his morning's cup of coffee.

One type of dairy cow has been developed for the largest "quantity" production. This type is represented by the Holstein, and is decidedly the breed to be selected if you are to supply your market with whole milk. It is the breed par excellence for supplying a city trade. For that reason its distribution so far has been largely confined to regions immediately contiguous to cities or in areas that supply a condensery.

The other type has been developed for "quality" production—quality in the sense of richness in butter fat. This is the type for use where the milk is to be "separated" and the cream marketed as butterfat. The type is represented by several well-known and popular breeds, but the Jersey is the most widely distributed of any in the South.

How well the Jersey lends itself to a scheme of diversified agriculture is instanced in the experience of a neighbor of the writer, Mr. L. F. Rucker of Hondo, Texas. In addition to doing his regular farm work, Mr. Rucker milked from three to eight Jersey cows—some going dry in the meantime—and from October 17, 1922 to August, 1923 sold \$600.00 worth of milk and cream from them after supplying the family needs. During this period, he paid out only \$13.60 for feed. This was spent for Cow Chow to supplement the pasturage and the home grown feeds produced by Mr. Rucker on the farm. What Mr. Rucker did others can do with the same intelligent management.

Next to intelligent selection of the cattle is economical and intelligent feeding of the animals. As in Mr. Rucker's experience, it will generally be found necessary to purchase some concentrates to supplement the home-grown feed. But this should be reduced to the minimum. The farmer who manages like one Texas farmer, told of by his county agent, who planted all his farm in cotton and fed boll weevils as usual, and ordered alfalfa hay in car lots, at commercial prices, and shipped over long distances, instead of growing a crop of peavine hay, can scarcely hope to make a success. Successful diversification with live stock requires the use of brains as well as brawn.

Utilization of the products is the next essential. So long as a profitable market is available all is easy sailing. But should the market fail? Therein lies the danger. Milk and butter are common foods and their use on the farm where cows are now kept could not be materially increased. However, there is a chance to largely increase the consumption of cheese, and its production on the farm is entirely feasible and practicable. Bulletins 850 and 960, to be had free for the asking of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., will furnish much practical and useful information on the subject of cheesemaking in the home. More cheese in the dietary of the American home will materially reduce the meat bill and make for the growth of a sturdy race of men and

women. The dairy cow is indeed the foster mother of humanity.

But speaking of the meat bill, no dairy farm is complete without hogs to consume the surplus milk. And where any considerable grain is fed the cattle they must be followed with hogs in order that the grain may be fully utilized. Commercial stock feeders follow this system in fattening beef cattle and have proven that it pays.

INCREASE MILK OUTPUT BY USING BETTER STOCK.

An increase of over 1,800,000 gallons in the annual milk production of New Castle County, Del., without increasing the number of dairy cows owned has followed five years' dairy improvement work, in which the county agent, progressive dairy farmers, and agricultural organizations cooperated. This county is located near a large city, affording a good market for whole milk, and dairying is an important farm industry.

When extension work in dairying was begun in New Castle County, many farmers were in the habit of buying a medium type of grade cow without a guaranty of health. Following a county meeting of dairymen in 1918, four carloads of purebred cows from herds under supervision of tuberculosis control were brought in and distributed as far as possible at the rate of one to a farm, so that as many farmers as possible might learn for themselves whether or not the investment paid. The boys and girls on the farms became interested, were organized into a club, and a purebred calf secured by each member. New clubs have been organized each year following, and exhibits of club members' stock are a feature of district shows and the State fair.

Club members have produced about one-fifth of the present holdings of purebred stock in the county. Purebred bulls and cows have been purchased by many farmers, after the movement was begun, on their own initiative. There are now about 900 purebred dairy cattle in the county, while in 1915 there were only 380. A carefully worked-out ration is fed. Over 4,000 dairy cattle in the county are under Federal supervision for tuberculosis control. Four annual consignment sales of surplus stock have been held, the 1923 sale totaling over \$7,000.

Over 140 farm girls were financed by their local agricultural extension clubs to the short course recently given by Iowa State College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts for Iowa boys' and girls' club members. Thirty-four counties, according to reports to the United States Department of Agriculture, were represented.

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In which the Editor Animadvert On Diversification with Cattle.

The production of beef cattle and of dairy products on Southern farms is receiving a great deal of attention now—and it is well for the country as a whole that it should.

One of the reasons for the present impetus of the industry is the uncertainty of the cotton crop—the South's long dependence for monetary returns from the farm and the juggernaut that has ground vast numbers of her people down in industrial poverty and slavery. The uncertainty of profitable financial returns from this crop has become so aggravated and acute since the spread of the boll weevil over practically the entire cotton belt that thousands of farmers feel the impelling necessity for some change in their system of farming. Hence more cattle, both of the beef and dairy breeds, on the farms of the South.

Another reason for increased farm production of beef cattle is the breaking up of the large cattle ranches. As the open ranges become less dependable as a source for the beef supply of the nation, farmers can more reasonably look for the profitable production of beef cattle on the smaller scale that goes with general farming as contradistinct from cattle ranching.

As regards dairy products, this country has never produced its own needed supply. Large importations of dairy products are made from Europe every year. With our vast resources this should not be. With out mild climate, luxuriant feed crops and vast open spaces available for pasturage, instead of depending upon Europe to make up for our shortage of dairy products we should, on the contrary, be sending ship loads of our own products to the more congested centers of the world. When we divorce ourselves from the one-crop system and give proper attention to the production and utilization of dairy products on our general farms this desirable end will come about.

Another encouraging phase of the business is that it is proving—in a general sense—at the present time very profitable, and has' prospects of continuing so indefinitely. According to a recent review of the 1923 market of dairying products,

made by the California Dairy Council, the average prices of the dairy products throughout the country increased last year as follows: butter, 17 per cent; cheese, 13 per cent; condensed milk, 30 per cent; and marketed milk, 17 per cent. The report further adds that consumption of dairy products in this country increases faster than the supply. All of which is encouraging to the beginner in the dairy business.

But in this as in all changes in one's established line of business, the cotton farmer who is proceeding to add cattle to his diversification scheme should proceed cautiously. Mistakes are more easily avoided than corrected.

One of the first things is to make the proper selection of a breed. This statement carries with it the corollary that scrubs, nondescripts and mixed breeds are to be avoided as nearly as possible. Years of study and painstaking, selective breeding have developed cattle along specific lines and the farmer should profit by this achievement of his predecessors.

sors in the business by recognizing what they have accomplished, and making his selections accordingly. One of the saddest economic tragedies that ever came under our observation was the complete wreckage of a promising creamery through a disagreement among those supplying the factory with cream. Some who adhered to their old "Blue John"—producing "range sisters" wanted the same allowance for percentage of butter fat as allowed those who had improved Jerseys. The dissension broke up the organization and wrecked the plant. Get rid of the scrubs.

Sometimes, where a farm is already stocked with common cattle it is not economically expedient to dispose of them and replace purebreds at once. In this event it has been found profitable to secure a purebred bull and cross with the native cows. In this way the scrubs can be graded up, and by giving place to one or two purebred dams to start with, while grading up the common cows, a purebred herd can be gradually built up and eventually all

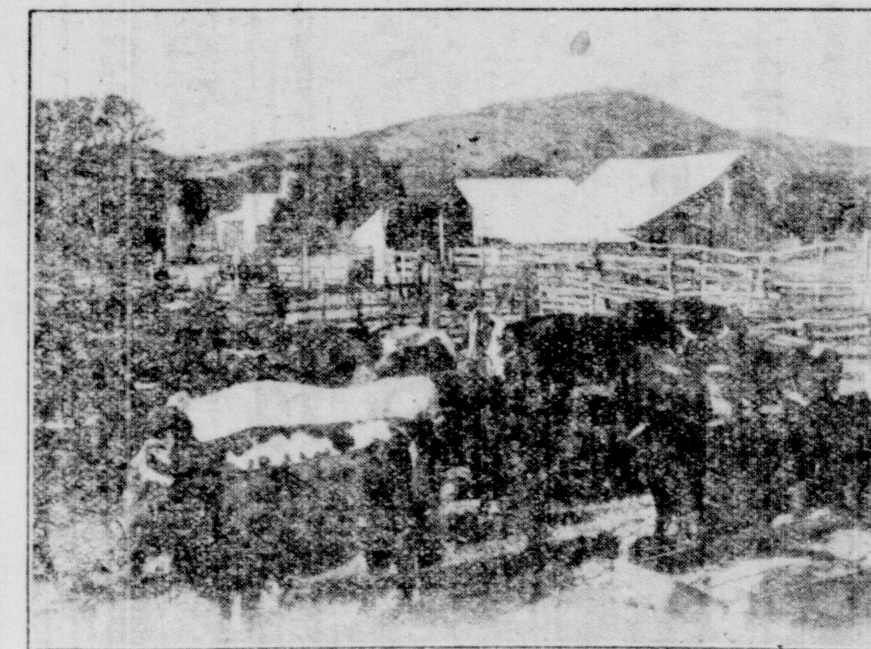
cross-breeds can be eliminated. Nothing but purebred bulls should be used in any herd. The days of the scrub bull have been too long already; he should not be tolerated longer.

In many communities where the farms can carry only a few head of cows and a purebred bull would be out of the question for the individual owner, this difficulty has been overcome by several neighbors forming a co-operative bull association, purchasing a bull collectively and arranging for his care by one of the members. This gives all the benefit of his service at the minimum cost, and as soon as he has served his purpose—when to keep him longer would be to imbred too closely—he can be exchanged with a neighboring association and thus introduce new blood of the same breed into the herd.

In selecting a breed, the purpose for which the cows are to be kept is the thing to keep in mind. There are some gentlemen who tell us that there are cattle purpose breeds—such as the Milk Durham—that will serve the ideal purpose of furnishing an abundance of good rich milk and producing a profitable beef at the same time. Where cattle are kept mainly to supply the needs of the farm for milk, butter and an occasional beef for slaughter, this breed might prove most profitable. The writer is not in a position to say positively. However, the tendency of breeders generally has been to steer away from the general purpose cow and breed either for beef or for milk. As a consequence, we have the distinct beef breeds and milk breeds. The farmer should make his selection according as it is milk or beef that he wants to produce.

The various beef breeds all have their merits, and the breeders of any one of them will sing you a tune in their favor free of charge. If it is a beef breed you wish, listen to them all and then select the breed you like best and you can make no mistake. They are all developed for the purpose of putting on a quick, economical growth of flesh, and given the proper care will do it.

Not so easy in the matter of dairy cattle. There are two very distinct (Continued on last page.)



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